

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Superintendents, Business Managers, and Charter School Directors

FROM: Melissa K. Ambre, Director

**DATE:** April 30, 2010

**SUBJECT:** May Tuition Support Distribution and Miscellaneous Information

## **MAY TUITION SUPPORT DISTRIBUTION**

Please be advised the tuition support distribution for the month of May will be electronically deposited into your school corporation/charter school account in two separate payments with the first occurring on Tuesday, May 11, 2010, and the second occurring on May 14, 2010. The May 11 deposit will be a partial payment from the federal fiscal stabilization fund; therefore, it must be tracked separate from the school's general fund. The May 14, 2010, payment will reflect the remaining tuition support distribution to each school corporation and charter school.

The deposit made on May 11, 2010 shall be receipted into fund 7950 (Fiscal Stabilization), using receipt account 4580 (American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009). DO NOT TRANSFER THESE FUNDS TO ANY OTHER FUND!

The Department requests that federal fiscal stabilization funds distributed in May be spent by June 30, 2010. Any interest earned on unspent funds will be subject to reporting and return of interest earned on the funds. The biannual financial report (Form 9) ending June 30 will serve as verification of proper accounting.

On May 14, we will forward the remaining tuition support amount for deposit into the school's general fund. The May 14 payment will reflect an "other minus adjustment" on the DOESA540 that is the ARRA funds distributed.

## INTEREST EARNED ON UNSPENT FISCAL STABILIZATION-EDUCATION FUNDS

The Federal Cash Management and Investment Act (CMIA) require a grantee or sub recipient to report quarterly interest earned on advanced funds, including ARRA grant funds. To assist in the reporting of interest earned on advanced federal funds, the IDOE has created a form for the reporting of ARRA Stabilization grant funds. The form is attached for your convenience and must be filed by all schools regardless of whether or not interest is due. If interest is earned in any quarter but specifically, Quarter 4 (April 1, 2010 thru June 30, 2010), the completed form is **due July 5, 2010.** Additionally, the grantee or sub-recipient may keep interest in amounts up to \$100.00 per year for administrative purposes. For 2009-2010, return of interest earned will be done annually and is due to

the IDOE no later than **July 5, 2010**. Completed forms are to be returned to Peggy Smith. Checks are to be made out to the U.S. Department of Education and submitted with the form to the IDOE.

## **OMB Circular A-133**

OMB Circular A-133, Subpart D Section 400 requires the Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) to inform sub recipients of certain Federal award information for the funds that you received. This notification applies to the federal stabilization funds being distributed in May 2010 as part of your monthly basic tuition support payments. Those funds were from:

Federal Agency: U. S. Department of Education

Federal Program: State Fiscal Stabilization Fund – Education State Grants –

Recovery Act

CFDA Number: 84.39A

Applicable Compliance Requirements: Education Department General Administrative

Regulations (EDGAR)

EDGAR information is available at <a href="http://www2.ed.gov/policy/fund/reg/edgarReg/edgar.html">http://www2.ed.gov/policy/fund/reg/edgarReg/edgar.html</a>.

If you have any questions regarding this memorandum, please contact staff in the Office of School Finance at 317-232-0840.

Attachment: Interest Earned Form